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STEP-SHAPED FLOATING POLY-SILGATE TO  
IMPROVE GATE COUPLING RATIO FOR  
FLASH MEMORY APPLICATION

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### RESPONSE PATENT OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 04/23/02, please amend the above identified application for patent as follows:

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